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The Woodlands Township holds Board meeting

THE WOODLANDS, TEXAS (February 17, 2017) – The Woodlands Township Board of Directors held a regular meeting Thursday, February 16, 2017, at The Woodlands Township Town Hall, 2801 Technology Forest Boulevard, at 6 p.m.

During the meeting, The Woodlands Township Board of Directors accepted a proposal from Simple Recycling for curbside textile recycling services. The free service will be provided once a week on resident service days as an enhancement to existing services. All forms of textiles will be accepted, including clothing, carpet, upholstery, small appliances, toys and other small household items. The Woodlands Township will actively encourage residents to first donate unused items to local nonprofits as to not adversely impact these organizations which rely on clothing donations for support. Curbside collection service will be considered a last resort to target materials going into landfills. Additional information will be provided once the Township has established a program start date.

In other business, the Board of Directors took the following actions on the Consent Agenda:

- Received and accepted the January 19, 2017, Regular Board Meeting Minutes and January 25, 2017, Regular Board Meeting minutes for the Board of Directors of The Woodlands Township.
- Received Administrative Reports for February 2017 for Community Services, Law Enforcement and Community Policing, Transportation and The Woodlands Fire Department.
- Adopted a Resolution outlining the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for specification in construction contracts awarded by the Township.
- Awarded a bid to Progressive Commercial Aquatics, Inc., for pool replastering services and deck refurbishment at Creekwood, Forestgate and Harper's Landing pools as well as May Valley and Timarron Spraygrounds.



- Approved a recommended revision to the Township Pay Structure related to staffing of the new Recreation Center in the Village of Creekside Park.
- Accepted a conveyance by Special Warranty Deed from The Woodlands Land Development Company for Creekside Park West Section 25, Restricted Reserves A, B and C and for Creekside Park Sections 39 and 40.
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The Board of Directors then moved on to take the following actions on the Regular Agenda:

- Approved an amendment to the 2017 Budget in an amount equal to \$9,331,682 to account for 2016 capital carryovers in order to complete applicable projects.
- Awarded a bid to Spectrum Events for special event production services.
- Took no action regarding a Township appointment for The Woodlands Road Utility District No. 1 Board of Directors.
- Received and accepted a briefing regarding The Woodlands Development Company's
 maintenance plan for the poor water conditions currently experienced at The
 Woodlands Waterway. The Board of Directors reviewed the proposed strategy which
 includes, but is not limited to, the addition of various fish species, the restoration of
 circulation pumps and the system wide application of an Environmental Protection
 Agency-approved aquatic herbicide to control aquatic vegetation.
- Awarded a bid to Ride Systems for Automatic Passenger Counters for the Town Center Trolleys that will satisfy annual FTA National Transit Database reporting requirement and allow The Woodlands Township to digitally acquire pertinent ridership data on an ongoing basis.

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- Awarded a bid to Allpro Consulting Group for communication tower consulting services. The tower networks will be installed at each of The Woodlands Fire Department stations and will enhance voice, data and radio communications in areas where radio signals are adversely affected by terrain, buildings and trees.
- Accepted a proposal from Simple Recycling for curbside textile recycling services.

For more information on The Woodlands Township, please visit <u>www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov</u>, or call 281-210-3800.